

SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION SOCIETY



**All - Oklahoma Chapter
Scholarships in Conservation**

SWCS All – Oklahoma Chapter Scholarships in Conservation Award

Who We Are

The Soil & Water Conservation Society (SWCS) is a nonprofit, multidisciplinary organization for anyone interested in natural resource management and conservation. Its mission is to foster the science and the art of soil, water and related natural resource management to achieve sustainability. We promote and practice an ethic recognizing the interdependence of people and the environment. Members come from government agencies, corporations, universities, consulting firms, nonprofit organizations, and special interest groups - a diversity that promotes balance and credibility.

Scholarship Objective

The Scholarships in Conservation Award is intended to encourage qualified students to increase their interest in natural resource conservation, to obtain technical competence in natural resource conservation, and to pursue a career in this area of endeavor. The scholarships are given annually by the All – Oklahoma Chapter of the Soil and Water Conservation Society.

Eligibility Requirements

Scholarship applicants must be current residents of Oklahoma and must be undergraduates who have completed three semesters at an accredited Oklahoma College or University. Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 3.00 (on a 4.00 scale) or better in their major field. Applicants must be enrolled or intending to enroll in an agricultural or natural resources related curriculum. Applications will be evaluated on financial need, academic ability, and other qualifications submitted. Previous recipients are eligible provided they submit a new application.

Amount

Scholarships will be \$500 each with a maximum of three scholarships awarded each year. The actual number awarded will be at the discretion of the SWCS Scholarship Committee.

Applications

Applications must be submitted by April 25th. Recipients will be notified prior to the Chapter's Annual Conference held in May. Recipients will be invited to the Awards ceremony at the Conference. Complete applications should be submitted to the All – Oklahoma SWCS Chapter, c/o Clark Williams, 4017 Yorkshire Dr., Stillwater, Oklahoma, 74074. For questions concerning the scholarships, phone (405) 466-3469.

All – Oklahoma Chapter SWCS Scholarship Application

1. Name _____
Last First Middle
2. Present Address _____
Street City State Zip Code
Phone () _____ Time At This Address _____
3. Permanent Address _____
Street City State Zip Code
Phone () _____
4. Name Of Parents Or Guardians _____
Address _____
Street City State Zip Code
4. Occupation Of Parents Or Guardians _____
5. Applicants Date Of Birth _____ Place Of Birth _____
6. Married? Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, Give Spouse's Name _____
7. List Names And Ages Of Any Dependent Children _____

8. Do You Currently Have Other Scholarships? Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, List Below
Name And Amount _____
8. High School Attended _____
Name City
9. College Or University That You Currently Attend _____
10. College Or University That You Plan To Attend Next Year _____
11. Current Classification: Sophomore _____ Junior _____
12. What Is Your Major Course Of Study _____
13. Combined Gross Income Of Parents or Guardians _____

14. What Percentage Of Your Funds For College Have Or Will Come From: Parents _____%

Work _____% Loans _____% Scholarships _____% Other _____%

15. Are Other Children In Your Family Currently Attending College? Yes _____ No _____

If Yes, List Name And School _____

16. List Positions Of Leadership That You Hold Or Have Held (High School or College):

17. List Any Work Experiences Or Jobs (Summer, Part-Time, Full-Time) Which Was Related Or Had An Effect On Soil And Water Conservation

18. Attach A One-Page Letter Which Describes The Following: Background, Attitudes Toward Conservation, Educational Objectives, Career Plans, and Financial Need.

19. Attach Three Letters Of Recommendations. (One Of The Recommendations Should Be From Your College Academic Advisor.)

20. Attach A Copy Of Your College Transcript Showing All Completed Courses To Date. (Minimum of Three Semesters.)

21. Signature Of Applicant _____

Date

22. Return Completed Applications To The Scholarship Committee Chair:

Clark Williams
4017 Yorkshire Drive
Stillwater, OK 74074